GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1098
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ISSUANCE OF NOC FOR LIGNITE BASED POWER PROJECT
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Governmenthas issued necessary directives to M/s Neyveli Lignite CorporationLimited to release the Gurha lignite reserves in favour of M/s RajasthanRajya Vidhyut Utpadan Nigam Limited for installation of its proposed lignite based Power Project;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the time by which the NOC is likely to be issued by M/s NLC in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) to (c) : Neyveli Lignite Corporation in their letter No.GM/MP&Geo.RRVNUL/2003dated 3.2.2003 have already informed M/s Rajasthan Rajya Vidyut Utpadan NigamLimited that they agree for release of Gurha West Block to Rajasthan StateMineral Development Corporation (now stands amalgamated with Rajasthan State Mines & MineralsLimited) in lieu of Hadla lignite reserves.